

WASHINGTON PLACE TOURS



Photograph by Theodore Severin, ca. 1893 Bishop Museum

Washington Place is best known as the former home of Queen Lili'uokalani, the last reigning monarch of the Hawaiian Kingdom who lived here from 1862 until 1917.

The elegant Greek-Revival mansion, completed in 1847 for Captain John Dominis, an American trader, has been the center of social and political life in the Hawaiian Islands throughout its long and remarkable history.

Following the Queen Lili'uokalani's death, Washington Place served 80 years as Executive Mansion for the Governor of Hawai'i. Designated a National Historic Landmark in 2007, Washington Place remains the official residence of the Governor however, a new house built on the property in 2002, is now the personal residence of the Governor of Hawai'i.



Tours by reservation, Thursday mornings (from 10:00 a.m.) Please call (808) 586 - 0248

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TOUR GUIDELINES

- Hours:** **THURSDAY mornings**
10:00 a.m. by reservation
A 45-minute docent-guided tour of Washington Place shares with visitors the significant history of this National Historic Landmark.
Tours preempted by official State functions will be rescheduled.
- Reservations:** **(808) 586-0248**
Please call at least two days in advance.
Accessibility: *Please inform us of any special needs you may have.*
- Identification:** **Visitors may be required to present valid identification with photo** upon entry to the premises of Washington Place.
No large bags or backpacks will be permitted.
- Tour Size:** **10 people per tour**
Multiple tours may be conducted simultaneously.
Please call, however, to make special arrangements for large groups or school tours.
- Admission:** **Free**
Tax-deductible donations to the Washington Place Foundation are welcomed and help support preservation and programs. Mahalo.
- Parking:** **Parking available at nearby State and City parking lots.**
Accessibility: *Please inform us of any special requirements you may have.*
- Photography & Recordings:** **Photography is restricted to the exterior and limited interior areas.** *Please ask your docent for details.*
Video and audio recordings are not allowed.
- House Rules & Preservation** **Please help us preserve historic Washington Place.**
No large bags or backpacks are allowed. Please, no food, gum or beverages. We appreciate silenced cell phones. You can help preserve our collection for future generations by not touching the furniture or objects.